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February 28, 2008

The Honorable Richard J. Sullivan  
 United States District Judge  
 Daniel Patrick Moynihan United States Courthouse  
 500 Pearl Street, Room 615  
 New York, New York 10007

**Re:** Adams v. City of New York, 05-CV-9484 (RJS) (JCF)  
Abdell v. City of New York, 05-CV-8453 (RJS) (JCF)  
Phillips v. City of New York, 05-CV-7624 (RJS) (JCF)  
Sikelianos v. City of New York, 05-CV-7673 (RJS) (JCF)  
Tikkun v. City of New York, 05-CV-9901 (RJS) (JCF)

Dear Judge Sullivan:

Defendants write regarding the scheduling of the parties submissions in the captioned actions related to plaintiffs' appeals of Magistrate Francis' dismissal of their emotional distress claims. More precisely, in accordance with Your Honor's Memo Endorsed Order dated February 6, 2008, defendants advise the Court that they will serve and file their consolidated opposition papers on or before March 6, 2008.<sup>1</sup> The parties have agreed that plaintiffs will file and serve their reply papers on or before March 24, 2008.

Accordingly, the parties request that Your Honor "so order" this schedule.

Respectfully submitted,

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RICHARD J. SULLIVAN  
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 2/29/08

<sup>1</sup> In accordance with Your Honor's Order, defendants calculated this as the proper filing and service date.